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The Hongkong Telegraph

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THE UNITED ASBESTOS
ORIENTAL AGENCY.
Sole Agents for the
UNITED ASBESTOS CO.,
LIMITED, LONDON.
DODWELL & CO., LIMITED,
General Managers.

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MONDAY, AUGUST 12, 1901.

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THIRTY DOLLARS
PER ANNUM.

Banks.

THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED 1880.
CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED Yen 24,000,000
CAPITAL PAID-UP " 18,000,000
CAPITAL UNPAID-UP " 6,000,000
RESERVE FUND " 8,310,000

Head Office—YOKOHAMA.

Branches and Agencies:
TOKYO, KOBÉ, LONDON,
NAGASAKI, NEW YORK,
LYONS, HANKOW, HONGKONG,
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THE LONDON AND STOCK BANK, LD.
THE UNION BANK OF LONDON, LD.

HONGKONG BRANCH—INTEREST ALLOWED.
On Current Accounts at rate of 2 per cent.
On Fixed Deposits for 12 months at 5 per cent.

TARO HODSUMI,
Manager.
Hongkong, 17th April, 1901. [1]

IMPERIAL BANK OF CHINA.

ESTABLISHED BY IMPERIAL DECREE
OF THE 12TH NOVEMBER 1895

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL 5,000,000
PAID-UP CAPITAL 2,500,000

Head Office—SHANGHAI.

Branches and Agencies:
HANKOW, PEKING,
TIENTSIN, SINGAPORE,
HONGKONG, SHANGHAI.

THE Bank purchases and receives for collection
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places, and Sells Drafts and Telegraphic Transfers
Payable at its Branches and Agencies.

HONGKONG BRANCH.
Advances made on approved securities.
Bills discounted.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.
3 1/2 per cent. Fixed Deposits for 3 months
4 1/2 per cent. " " " 6 months
5 1/2 per cent. " " " 12 months

" E. W. RUTTER,
Manager.
Hongkong, 1st January, 1901. [14]

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

Authorized Capital 1,000,000
Paid-up Capital 324,374

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

Board of Directors:
Chan Kit Shan, Esq., O. E. Ewens, Esq.,
Chow Tung Shing, Esq., T. T. Lau, Esq.,
Chief Manager,
GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

Interest for 12 months Fixed 5 %
Hongkong, 26th December, 1899. [18]

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL \$10,000,000
RESERVE FUND \$13,000,000
STERLING RESERVE \$10,000,000
SILVER RESERVE \$3,000,000
RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS \$10,000,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS:
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MANAGER:
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LONDON BANKERS—LONDON AND COUNTY BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED.
HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED:
On Current Accounts at the rate of 2 per cent.
On Fixed Deposits at the daily balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:
For 3 months, 2 1/2 per cent. per annum.
For 6 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
For 12 months, 4 per cent. per annum.

T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, 4th June, 1901. [9]

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE Business of the above Bank is conducted
by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be
obtained on application.

INTEREST ON DEPOSITS IS ALLOWED AT 3 1/2 PER
CENT. per annum.
Depositors may transfer at their option
balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND
SHANGHAI BANK to be placed on FIXED
DEPOSIT at 4 PER CENT. per annum.

For the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI
BANKING CORPORATION,
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, 4th October, 1900. [10]

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA AND CHINA.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER, 1853.
HEAD OFFICE—LONDON.

CAPITAL PAID-UP £800,000
RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHARE-
HOLDERS £800,000
RESERVE FUND £575,000

INTEREST ALLOWED ON CURRENT
ACCOUNTS AT THE RATE OF 2 PER CENT. per
annum on the Daily Balances.
On Fixed Deposits for 12 months, 4 per cent.

" " " 6 " " " 3 1/2 " "
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T. H. WHITEHEAD,
Manager.
Hongkong, 9th July, 1901. [13]

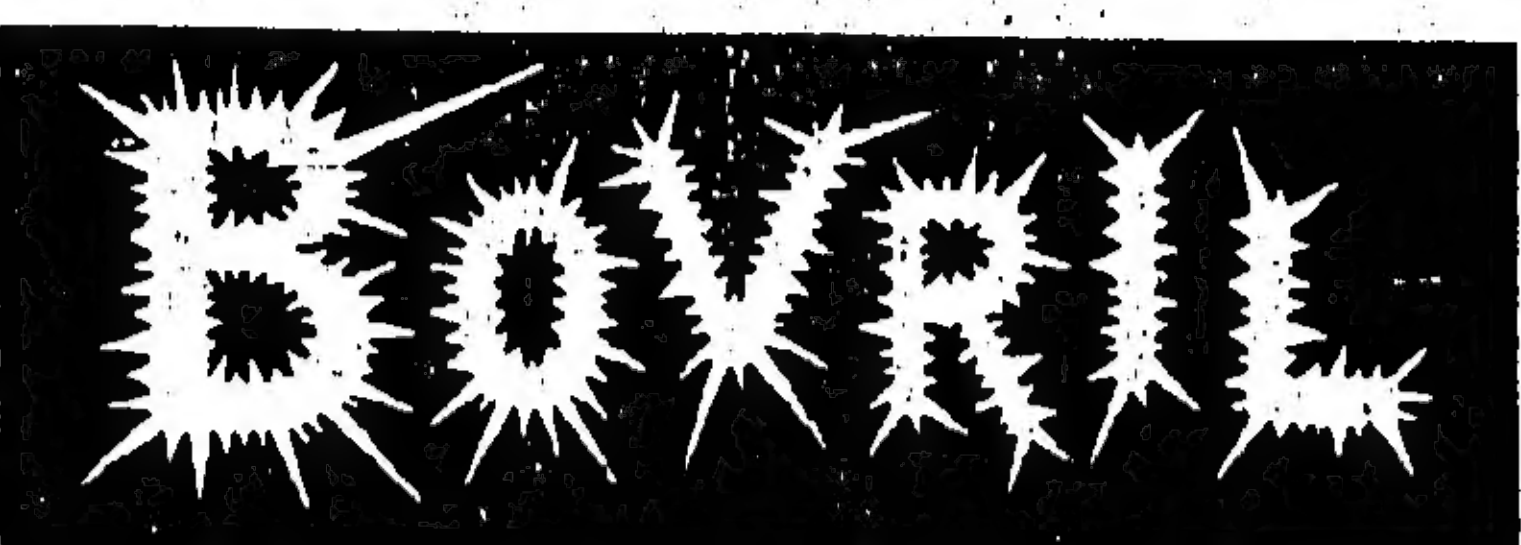
GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

PORTLAND CEMENT.
\$5.50 per Cask of 37 1/2 lbs. Net ex Factory.
\$9.30 per Bag of 250 lbs.

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 1st June, 1901. [19]

Intimations.

Bovril Promotes Energy and takes away
that tired feeling which life in the East pro-
duces. Unrivalled for Athletes and persons
of either sex cultivating physical strength.
To be obtained at all Stores, Chemists and
Hotels throughout Hongkong, China and
Japan. [287c]



BOVRIL PROMOTES HEALTH,
STRENGTH AND ENERGY.

UNITED ASBESTOS ORIENTAL AGENCY, LIMITED.

SOLE AGENTS IN
HONGKONG, CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS SETTLEMENTS,
FOR THE
UNITED ASBESTOS CO., LD., LONDON.

CONTRACTORS TO H.M. GOVERNMENT.
MANUFACTURERS OF THE
Best Qualities of ASBESTOS GOODS AND PACKINGS,
HYDRAULIC AND SELF LUBRICATING PUMP PACKINGS, of all kinds.
"VICTOR" METALLIC BOILER JOINTS.

ASBESTOS SALAMANDER BOILER COVERING COMPOSITION of the best qualities.
ESTIMATES given for every DESCRIPTION of WORK.
CHIEF SUPERINTENDENT—THOMAS SKINNER.
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DODWELL & CO., LIMITED, General Managers.

GEO. YOUNGER, ALLOA INDIA PALE ALE.

Specially brewed for tropical climates. Good, sound, light bitter
BEER.

Per Case of 4 dozen Quarts \$11.00
Per Case of 8 dozen Pints 14.00

Also in Hogsheads, Kilderkins, Firkins and 41 Gall Casks.

CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & Co., WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS.

15, Queen's Road,
Hongkong, 7th August, 1901. [15]

JAPAN COALS.

THE MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA (OR MITSUI & Co.)

HEAD OFFICE—43, SAKAMOTO-CHO, TOKYO.
LONDON OFFICE—31, LIME STREET, E.C.
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Yokosuka, Nagoya, Osaka, Kobe, Kure, Shimonoeki, Moji, Wakamatsu, Karatsu,
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Telegraphic Address for all the Offices: "MITSUI."
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Bureau; Principal Railway Companies and Industrial Works; Home and Foreign Mail and
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SOLE PROPRIETORS of the Famous Miike, Tagawa and Yamano Coal Mines; and
SOLE AGENTS for Fukuma, Hokoku, Ichinoura, Kanada, Kishima, Manoura, Onoura,
Otsuji, Taniyama, Tsubakuro, Yoshinotani, Yoshio, Yunkibara and other Coal Mines.
Hongkong, 2nd July, 1901. [153c]

THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY, HONGKONG.

AERATED WATERS.

SIMPLE AERATED WATER. LEMONADE. GINGER ALE.
SARSAPARILLA. TONIC WATER. RASPBERRYADE.
LEMON SQUASH.

SPECIAL TERMS to Hotels, Clubs, Messes and other large Consumers.

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VERY POPULAR NOVELS, &c., at 35 cts. each.
Marquess of Lonsdale, by Geo. Macdonald.
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Eben Holden, by Bachelor.

White Company, by Canon Doyle.
Bootsie Baby, by John Strange Winter.
The Black Card, by Lys.
The Potter's Thumb, by Annie Steele.

The House of Mystery, by Marsh.
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Brannan's Bulwarks: The Achievements of
our Seamen; The Honours of our Ships.
Very Choice Illustrations; to be completed
in 10 Parts (4 Parts now ready), at 35c. each.

A very Fine Engraving of H.M. KING ED-
WARD VII, \$13.

A Fine Pair—
A Cup of Old Black \$13
The Dawn of Majuba Day each.
(Sold Separately).

Mails.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

FOR STEAMERS CAPTAINS TO SAIL REMARKS

SHANGHAI Maragon G.W. Cockman, R.N.R. 3 P.M., 13th Aug. ... Freight only.

SHANGHAI Parramatta R. T. Cook, R.N.R. ... About 16th Aug. ... Freight or Passage.

LONDON, &c. Coromandel F. W. Vibert, R.N.R. Noon, 17th Aug. ... Freight or Passage.

KOBE Peking F. J. Fox About 17th Aug. ... Freight only.

YOKOHAMA Formosa J. D. Andrews, R.N.R. About 23rd Aug. ... Freight or Passage.

(See Special Advertisement). (Passing through the Inland Sea).
Via SHANGHAI and KOBE.

For Further Particulars, apply to
H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.
Hongkong, 12th August, 1901. [15]

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINE.

STEAM FOR
SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUET, PORT SAID, NAPLES, GENOA,
ANTWERP, BREMEN/HAMBURG;
PORTS IN THE LEVANTE, BLACK SEA AND BALTIC PORTS;
ALSO
LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON,
AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS;

Steamers will call at SOUTHAMPTON to land Passengers and Luggage.
N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the Principal Places in Russia.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.
(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.)

STEAMERS. SAILING DATES.
KONIG ALBERT WEDNESDAY, 21st August.

PRINZESS IRENE THURSDAY, 19th September.

PREUSSEN WEDNESDAY, 16th October.

HAMBURG, Hamburg-Amerika Linie WEDNESDAY, 30th October.

SACHSEN WEDNESDAY, 13th November.

KIAUTSCHOW, Hamburg-Amerika Linie WEDNESDAY, 27th November.

STUTTGART WEDNESDAY, 11th December.

KONIG ALBERT WEDNESDAY, 21st December.

PRINZESS IRENE WEDNESDAY, 8th January, 1902.

PREUSSEN WEDNESDAY, 22nd January, 1902.

HAMBURG, Hamburg-Amerika Linie WEDNESDAY, 5th February, 1902.

SACHSEN WEDNESDAY, 19th February, 1902.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 21st day of August, 1901, at NOON, the Steamship "KONIG
ALBERT," of the NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, Captain C. Polack, with MALES,
PASSENGERS, SPECIE and CARGO, will leave this Port as above, Calling at NAPLES and
GENOA.

Shipping Orders will be granted till NOON, on MONDAY, the 19th instant, Cargo and
Specie will be received on Board until 5 P.M., on TUESDAY, the 20th instant, and Parcels
will be received at the Agency's Office until NOON, on TUESDAY, the 20th instant.

Content of Packages are required. No Parcel Receipts will be signed for less than \$2.50
and Parcels should not exceed Two Feet Cubic in Measurement.

The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardesses.
Linen can be washed on board.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

For further Particulars, apply to
MELCHERS & CO.,
AGENTS. [22]

Hongkong, 10th August, 1901.

Hotels.

HONGKONG HOTEL.

Military Band during dinner on Saturday Nights.

Hongkong, 15th November, 1900. [23]

HOTEL CRAIGIEBURN.

PLUNKET'S GAP, the PEAK, near the TRAM TERMINUS, Tel. 56.

For Terms, &c., apply to the
MANAGER. [16]

Hongkong, 2nd July, 1900.

W. H. POTTS & Co., 3, QUEEN'S BUILDINGS.

WINE, SPIRIT AND CIGAR
MERCHANTS.
DIRECT IMPORTERS:

ALHAMBRA CIGAR,
"KIRIN" BEER,
HARVEY'S OLD VINTAGES.

[61c]

Intimations.

Fr. BLUNCK,

SILK LACE MANUFACTURER
AND EMBROIDERER.

17, QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG.

MANUFACTURER
and RETAILER.

16th July, 1901. [715c]

Blatz

The Star Milwaukee Beer.

PER CASK 10 DOZEN PINTS \$25.

SOLE AGENTS:
H. PRICE & Co.,
12, QUEEN'S ROAD. [20]

Hongkong, 8th August, 1901.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED
A LARGE CONSIGNMENT
OF
AMERICAN BOOTS

IN
TAN CALF, BLACK CALF & GLACE KID,

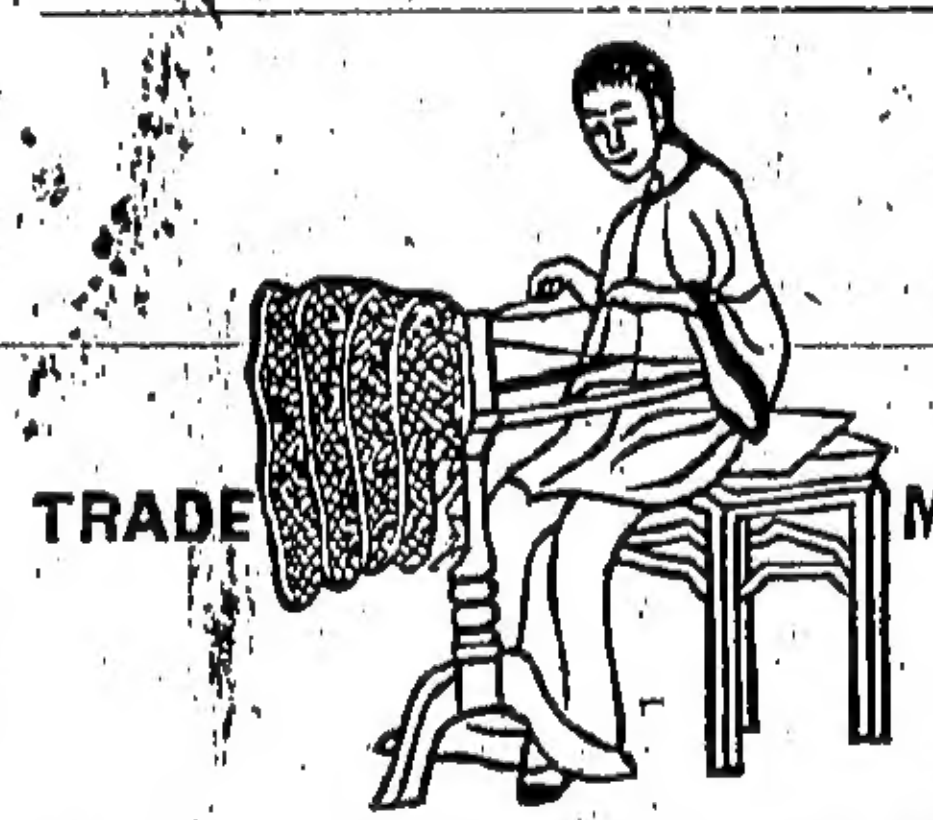
SQUARE, MEDIUM AND POINTED TOES,
ALSO
PATENT COURT SHOES

AND
SHOOTING BOOTS.

An Inspection is invited.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, 10th August, 1901. [732c]



Intimations.

New Plant!
More Hands!!
Improved Processes!!!

Our Factory has become much too small. Orders have been pouring in like a flood. Our facilities were never so good as they are now. Our capabilities for handling a BIG trade never so complete as at present. Our system never so good. And yet with all this, and increased knowledge arising from previous experience, the flowing tide has so completely swept us along we are well-nigh overwhelmed. New machinery, more hands, and further sub-division of labour are being actively carried out and vigorously pushed forward, and everything else we can do is being done. We shall soon be able to cope with any amount of new trade. Write us.

WATKINS,
LIMITED.

Aerated Water Manufacturers.

Hongkong, 30th July, 1901. [714c]

COTTAM & Co.

JUST ARRIVED.
THE FAVOURITE SUMMER COLLAR
1/2 INCH "LEADER."
BATH GOWNS,
OVERLAND TRUNKS.
Hongkong, 20th July, 1901. [671c]

Insurances.

"LUNION"

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LD.

(Established 1828).

THE Undersigned, having been appointed
GENERAL AGENT for the above
Company, is prepared to ACCEPT RISKS
at current rates.
Claims settled direct without reference to the
Head Office.

A. R. MARTY,

Agent.

Hongkong, 5th July, 1901. [712c]

NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

THE Undersigned AGENTS of the above
Company are prepared to accept FIRE
CLASS FOREIGN AND CHINESE RISKS at
CURRENT RATES.

SIEMSEN & Co.

Hongkong, 28th May, 1901. [712c]

KELLY & WALSH, LD.

ARDATH,
THE HIGH CLASS SMOKING MIXTURE.

MANUFACTURED and blended from the VERY FINEST TOBACCOS Guaranteed
FREE from all artificial flavourings and is so innocuous to health, but now so often
found in Smoking Mixtures.
Smokers will find the "ARDATH MIXTURE" delightfully Sweet and Cool, and, owing
to its PURITY, the Tobacco will keep in GOOD condition in all climates.
Modern scientific authorities declare "ARDATH," the Healthiest Tobacco.
Packed in 1/4 Air Tight Tins MILD, MEDIUM and Full Strength, Price 90 cents per Tin.
Hongkong, 12th August, 1901. [690c]

OLD MATURED
JOHN WALKER WHISKEY,
FROM THE FAMOUS
KILMARNOCK DISTILLERY.
THE FAVOURITE WHISKY IN THE OLD COUNTRY.
ASK FOR IT!

Hongkong, 22nd July, 1901. [776c]

A. CHEE & Co.

17A, Queen's Road, Central.
ESTABLISHED 1859.FURNITURE DEALERS:
IMPORTERS OF EUROPEAN GOODS OF ALL KINDS;

Silver Plated, Glass and China Wares, Iron Bedsteads and Mat-
tresses; Cutlery and Dinner Services; Cooking Ranges and Kitchen
Utensils; Aspinall's Enamels, &c., &c.

Our store is situated between the Principal Banking Institutions and
Hotels in Hongkong.

Hongkong, 25th July, 1901. [777c]

WILLIAM POWELL, LIMITED,
GENERAL DRAPERS AND GENTLEMEN'S OUTFITTERSOF
QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

Are now showing a Large and varied Stock of
SUMMER DRESS MATERIALS, SILKS, RIBBONS, LACES, HOSIERY, GLOVES, &c.
MILLINERY.

Latest London and Paris Fashions constantly arriving. Inspection invited.

Today's
Advertisements.THEATRE ROYAL,
CITY HALL.

TO-NIGHT! TO-NIGHT!

AUSTRALIAN VAUDEVILLE CO.

POSITIVELY THE LAST TWO
NIGHTS.

LAST TWO NIGHTS.

TO-NIGHT AND TO-MORROW
NIGHT,

THE ONLY OPPORTUNITIES LEFT OF WIT-
NESSING THIS BRIGHTEST OF
PERFORMANCES.

NEW SONGS. NEW FARCE.

J. F. FINLAY,

Manager.

Hongkong, 12th August, 1901. [807c]

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY,
LIMITED.

NOTICE.

IN accordance with the Provisions of No. 121
of the Articles of Association, the General
Agents have This Day declared an INTERIM
DIVIDEND of 5% for the Half year ending
30th June, 1901, on the Paid-up Capital.
DIVIDEND WARRANTS PAYABLE on
SATURDAY, the 24th August, will be issued
to Shareholders on Application.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company
will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 24th
instant, both Days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Agents.

Hongkong, 12th August, 1901. [807c]

FOR SHANGHAI AND VLADIVOSTOK.

THE Steamship

"TAIFU"
now in port, will be despatched as above on or
about WEDNESDAY, the 14th instant.
For Freight and other Information, apply
to

DODWELL & CO., LIMITED,

Hongkong, 12th August, 1901. [830c]

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA-
TION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR

SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, MANILA, PORT

SAID, FIUME AND TRIESTE.

(Taking Cargo at through Rates to the BRAZILS,
RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT, VENICE
AND ADRIATIC PORTS).

THE Company's Steamship

Captain Matovich, will be despatched as above
on MONDAY, the 19th instant, P.M., instead of
as previously advertised.For Information as to Passage and Freight,
apply toSANDER, WIELER & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 12th August, 1901. [756c]

FOR NEW YORK.

THE 3/3 A. L. I. American ship

"I. F. CHAPMAN,"
having arrived is now ready to load for the above
Port and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to

ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 12th August, 1901. [698c]

Today's
Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions
to Sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION.

FOR ACCOUNT AND RISK OF THE CONCERNED,
onSATURDAY, the 17th August, 1901,
at NOON,alongside of The DOUGLAS S.S. CO.'S WHARF,
Praya Central.THE STEAM LAUNCH
"TUNG FAT."Built under Foreign Superintendence, is
certified to be in first-class order and condition.
Only a few days out of the hands of Messrs.
BAILEY & ALMOND, Engineers, &c., &c., who
have given her a thorough overhaul; is re-
metalized, &c., &c.Suitable for towing purposes; and is fitted in
European style.Length, 63 feet; Beam, 11 feet 6 inches;
Depth, 6 feet 3 inches in centre.

TERMS:—As Usual.

For further particulars, apply to

HUGHES & HOUGH,
Auctioneers.

Hongkong, 12th August, 1901. [866c]

FOR KOBE (DIRECT).

THE Steamship

"COLONIES,"
Captain Zellier, will be despatched for the
above Port, on WEDNESDAY, the 14th instant.
For Freight and other Information, apply toDODWELL & CO., LIMITED,
Agents.

Hongkong, 12th August, 1901. [868c]

Intimation.

A. S. WATSON & Co.,
LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.

THE LEADING MANUFACTURERS

OF

AERATED
WATERS.

IN THE FAR EAST.

OUR FACTORIES are construct-
ed with every attention to the best
principles that sanitary science can
suggest; and our NEW FACTORY
at WEST POINT is the LARGEST
and BEST EQUIPPED in the FAR
EAST.

A perfect System of Filtration is
employed guaranteeing Absolute
purity.

The Machinery used is of the Latest
Type.

A STAFF OF ENGLISH EXPERTS
attends to every detail of the Manu-
facture.

The Waters produced are of the
highest class and excellence; as testi-
fied to by the best English makers.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED,
THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.
Hongkong.

The Hongkong Telegraph

HONGKONG, MONDAY, AUGUST 12, 1901.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

BRITISH SOUTH AFRICA.

London, August 8th.

Lord Kitchener's proclamation providing
stern measures against the enemy, has been
favourably received in Natal. The terms of
the proclamation are unknown at present.

The correspondent of the London Post
states that twenty five of Steinacker's Horse
were surprised and captured on the Sabie
River.

PARLIAMENT.

THE NEW CLOSURE RULE

ADOPTED.

The New Closure Rule, enabling Estimates
to be voted in groups instead of separately,
was adopted on Wednesday. The Rule has
been applied in the House of Commons yester-
day evening, and Estimates aggregating
£67,746,833 sterling were voted in three
hours, including £45,000,000 sterling for
the Army.

MOURNING FOR THE LATE

EMPERESS FREDERICK.

Three weeks mourning for the late Empress
Frederick has been ordered.

GREAT BRITAIN'S REPE-
SENTATIVE IN COREA

The promotion of Mr. John Newell Jordan
to British Minister in Corea is gazetted.

BRITISH SOUTH AFRICA.
LORD KITCHENER'S PRO-
CLAMATION.

Lord Kitchener's proclamation which was
issued in accordance with instructions from
the home Government, banishes permanently
from South Africa, unless surrendering before
the 15th September, all Commandants, Field
Cornets, and leaders of armed bands being
burghers of the late republics still resisting,
also the members of the governments of the
late Transvaal and Orange Free State.
Charges will also be made upon the property
of burghers not surrendering by the 15th
September, for the maintenance of their
families.

LORD KITCHENER'S PRO-
CLAMATION.

The newspapers heartily approve of Lord
Kitchener's proclamation, and anticipate
sterner measures if these are ineffective.

WEATHER REPORT.

The Observatory report says:—
On the 11th at 12.10 p.m. the barometer has
fallen over the China coast and Luzon. Pressure
is highest over the Pacific in the neighbourhood
of the Loochoos, lowest in a trough-like area of
low pressure lying across the N. part of the
China Sea. Gradients moderate to slight for
E. winds in S. China, and for S.W. winds over
the middle part of the China Sea. Forecast:—
Moderate E. winds; showery.

On the 12th at 11.55 a.m. the barometer has
fallen over S. China. A depression appears to
be moving into the N. part of the Sea of Japan
from the Westward, and the low pressure trough
is lying off the S. coast of China. Gradients
moderate for E. winds on the China coast, and
for S.W. winds over the middle part of the
China Sea. Forecast:—Moderate E. winds;
squally, showery.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE German mail of the 11th ult. was deliv-
ered in London on the 9th inst.

His Majesty's Exequatur has been issued to
Hadjji Attoullah Effendi, who has been ap-
pointed Consul for Turkey at Singapore.

WE hear The China Sugar Refining Company
are going to declare an interim dividend of
5% per share and carry forward a large sum.

M. WITTE, Russian Minister of Finance, starts
at the end of August on a tour to Vladivostok,
Chabrin, Moukden, Port Arthur, and Peking.

THE intention of the Government to erect a
public latrine at the corner of Kennedy Street
and Market Street, Yau-ma-tei, is notified in
the Gazette.

THE appointment of Mr. J. Thurnburn to be a
Member of the Legislative Council, vice the
Honourable R. M. Gray, resigned, is notified
in the Gazette.

It is reported that the Government are propos-
ing to hand over their newly-acquired
tramways in Penang to the Municipal Com-
missioners there.

His Majesty's Government has agreed to give
horse compensation to the members of Lums-
den's horse, and troopers who bought their
own horses receive £30 on an average.

It is notified in the Gazette that on and after
the 29th instant the fees payable for a petition
for letters patent shall, under certain condi-
tions, be ten instead of twenty-five dollars.

DURING the last ten years a total of 6,035 types
of postage stamps has been issued. Europe
claimed 780, Asia 1,128, Africa 2,057, America
2,192, and Australia 478 types. The year 1898
holds the record with 896 types as the largest
out-put; and 1899 issued the smallest number,
578 types. And still the stamp collector goes
on undaunted!

THE most extravagant precautions are being
taken at the Constantinople Custom House to
prevent arms, ammunition, and explosives being
smuggled in under cover of ordinary goods.
Orders have been given for all tins of tinned
meats, preserved fruits, sardines, etc., to be
opened and examined in order that their con-
tents may be verified.

A TRIFLING but typical instance of red tape is
cited by the Director of Public Instruction,
Madras. A clerk in his office, was transferred
at a day's notice and the Director was left
short-handed for several months. A copyist
was engaged on daily pay to assist in disposing
of the work, but his salary was disallowed on
the ground that the previous sanction of
Government had not been obtained.

Modern Society says:—Though he is not racing
this year the King not only follows the events
of the Turf with the greatest interest, but has
been winning large sums. His Majesty's
method of betting is extremely simple. Three
of his intimate friends, who are regular attend-
ants at all race-meetings of consequence, are in
his confidence. To one of these a wire is sent
indicating the horses to be backed, and this
telegram is invariably signed "Sandringham."

The recipient of the Royal command puts the
sum on in his own name, and one or two book-
makers who have settled heavily on Sandring-
ham would be surprised how large a sum is going
to the King.

WE are likely to hear less in future of the bad
sighting of the Lee-Enfield rifle, writes the
Pioneer, as under special orders from the War
Office, each arm is to be sighted before issue.
In this way accuracy should be gained, just as
is the case with sporting rifles. A gunmaker
who did not try each rifle and align its sights
according to what may be called the "idiot's
crazy" of the weapon, would soon lose his cus-
tomers. The Ordnance Department at home,
by working on rule-of-thumb principles, issued
tens of thousands of rifles which were extremely
defective in their sighting. Hence the outcry
in South Africa, where even marksmen could
not get on the target.

THE new railway line from Cairo to Port Said
will follow nearly the whole way from Ismailia
the route of the present steam tramway, except
on leaving Ismailia. It is stated that the
distance from Cairo to Port Said will be covered
in 33 hours.

THE Behar Herald (a newspaper in India) in
its issue of the 10th July states that a mother
and a baby there were attacked by locusts.
The mother fled, leaving her baby, which was
eaten in a moment by the insects, the bones
only being left.

THE International Telegraphic Conference will
be held next year in London, when the question
of reducing the cable rates between England
and India will come up for settlement. It now
seems unlikely that the proposed arrangement
will be brought into force earlier.

On the 10th July, one of the biggest fires
Sydney has ever known consumed almost the
whole of Anthony Hordern's immense build-
ings at the Haymarket. It lasted some two
hours, and in that time claimed a man's life
and did damage to the extent of £500,000.

THE Leeds Mercury has been sold to the
Harmsworth brothers. "So passes into the
hands of strangers and the vanguard of the new
journalism (says the Yorkshire Post) the glory
and moral dignity of what was for the best
part of the last century the most powerful
journal in the North of England."

THE War Office authorities would not appear
to give any sweeping acceptance to the view
expressed by some military critics that the
bayonet is played out as a weapon under the
conditions created in modern warfare. At any
rate, it is announced on authority that the
War Office has just placed an order with an
English firm for over 70,000 bayonets.

THE annual report of the Administration of
British New Guinea of June 30th last, shows
that the total value of imports for the year was
£72,286, an increase of £20,000. The exports
were £55,167, a decrease of £12,000. The
whole of the decrease is represented by the de-
crease in the gold exports, which is attributed
to the refusal of the mines to declare the value
of the gold taken away.

THE grandson and successor of the late Parsi
magnate of Bombay has in accordance with
the terms of the Petit Baronetcy Act, assumed
the name and style of Sir Dinshaw Manockjee
Petit. He marked his accession to the title by
giving five thousand pounds in charity. He is
considered a very capable and promising young
man. He married ten years ago the daugh-
ter of the third baronet of the Jamsetjee
Jeejeebhoy family.

THE Petchabureans, a recent Bangkok Times
says, are trustful souls, and unversed in wicked
city ways. A little party of them who had
come to Bangkok moored their boat near the
United Club last night and composed them-
selves for sleep in the sala adjoining the Hong-
kong Bank. In the morning the boat kitchen
utensils and all disappeared. These good
people should know that not only boats but
door-mats need chains in this neighbourhood.

THE much-talked of Railway Saloon Carriage,
which was built in Germany for His Majesty
the King of Siam, and exhibited at the Exposi-
tion in Paris, has arrived in Bangkok en bloc,
says the Siam Free Press. The carriage weighed
about ten tons, and was most carefully con-
structed and lined with zinc. The carriage is a
pretty one, and has all the air of luxury; with
numerous soft padded seats. It is as long
as an ordinary carriage of the Korat railway,
and is intended for short journeys only. The
wheels will be fitted on in a few days more, and
then it will be given a trial.

GENERAL Sir Alfred Gaselee duly arrived in
Shimabashi, at 10.48 a.m. on the 2nd inst., says
the Kōkumin Shinbun, with his aid-de-camp
Captain Pitt and Captain Hiraoka. Baron
Kodama, War Minister, Lieut.-Gen. Terauchi,
Second in the General Staff, Maj. Fukushima,
Lieut.-Col. Shiba, and several others welcomed
the General in the station. The General
appeared to be in high spirits, with cane in his
right hand. He drove, immediately after his
arrival, to the Imperial Hotel. The War
Minister will give a dinner in honour of Sir
Alfred to-day from 7.30 p.m., in his official
residence, Nagata-cho.

THE United Service Gazette hears that there
are to be 120 Maxim guns in India carrying
303 ammunition; out of this number there are
about 52 already in the country. Eighteen
machine guns of other patterns are to be
experimented with, of which probably the Colt
machine gun will take a prominent position.
The British Mountain Battery, which was
located at Darjeling, has been removed to
Quetta, where barracks are to be erected at a
cost of £30,000, for the use of the Artillerymen.
Estimates have also been received for the
location of three howitzer batteries being sent
to India; these will be stationed at Nowong
and Jhansi.

THE s.s. Dornai is becoming famous, if not for
the quantity of her cargo, at least for the
"striking" manner in which she makes her
presence felt this side of Bangkok Point.
says the Bangkok Times of the 1st inst. She
is the terror of ship and cargo boat owners, as
also of those whose property about the Meikong
River latest escapade was last evening. The
speed at which she came up the river near the
B. B. T. C.'s premises was a sight. Then she
dropped anchor nearly opposite the Harbour
Office. There was a strong flood tide, and
instead of bringing up gracefully she tried
conclusions with the Harbour Department's
wharf. The s.s. Buketlinga which was lying
here, had her after port bulwark stove in and
one of her masts sprung. A P. W. D. launch
was sunk and three of the Harbour Master's
launches damaged. Also the wharf itself was
broken down. The damage has been roughly
estimated at about £12,000. The Dornai (to-
day) anchored peacefully in front of the
Hongkong Bank.

It is notified in the Gazette that His Excel-
lency the Governor has been pleased to appoint
Mr. Lau Chu Pak to be a Member of the Sanitary
Board, vice Mr. Chan A' Fook, resigned.

It is notified in the Gazette that His Excel-
lency the Governor has given his assent, in the
name and on behalf of the King, to the
amended Reformatory Schools Ordinance and
to the Ordinance for the naturalization of Lau
Yat Tsun.

THE Asahi of August 4th says:—Six hundred
coolies are employed at the Insan gold mine,
which is controlled by Mr. Pritchard Morgan.
It is reported that the enterprise will be con-
verted into a joint stock Company with Mr.
Gill, M. P., as President.

It seems practically settled, says the United
Service Gazette, that Lord Kitchener is to suc-
ceed Sir Pever Palmer as Commander-in-Chief
in India in March next, and it is understood
that the noble and gallant Lord has already
hinted to few officers that he may require
them next year.

THE Hon. Treasurer of the Alice Memorial
and Neithersole Hospitals begs to acknowledge
with thanks the following donations to the
funds of the Hospitals:—

Benjamin, Kelly and Potts\$25
R. Shevan 10
H. P. Tooker 5

THE villagers in the New Territory are very
busy just at present planting out the autumn
crop of paddy. The spring, or summer, crop
seems to have been a good one, and the
seedlings now being transplanted appear to be
a fairly healthy lot, which speaks well for the
crop prospects. Water seems to be more
plentiful than in Hongkong.

A SPECIAL Meeting of the Legislative Council
is summoned for to-morrow, Tuesday, the 13th
inst., at 3 p.m., in order to pass a Resolution of
Condolence, with His Majesty the King and
His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of Germany
in the bereavement which they have suffered
by the death of Her late Imperial Majesty the
Dowager Empress of Germany.

ON the 20th July, an extensive theft of
watches on shipboard was discovered at Bom-
bay. A case, consigned to a firm of jewellers
there, on being landed from the P. & O. Penin-
sular, was immediately opened and it was
found that 185 watches were missing. Pieces
of limestone, such as are found around
Marseilles, had been substituted to make up
the weight of the case.

THE actual bugle which sounded the famous
charge of the Light Brigade at Balaclava was
used in a recent charity concert at the Crystal
Palace. This historic instrument was purchased
by Mr. T. G. Middlebrook about two years ago
for £787 10s. Since then several people have
made offers for it, one bid being as high as
1,200 guineas but the owner has decided to
leave it as an heirloom to his old regiment, the
"Death of Glory" Boys (17th Lancers).

WE do not know how the pineapple industry
at Tsin Wan is progressing, but yesterday we
had an opportunity of tasting the fruit and
found it excellent. What we should like to
know is why Tsin Wan pineapples do not find
their way into the Hongkong market, for those
purchasable here cannot be compared to the
fruit procurable in Tsin Wan. We obtained a
couple for ten cents and they were very ripe,
juicy and delicately flavoured, while in the
market you get a pineapple which has been cut
while still unripe, and is consequently hard, dry
and tasteless.

A NEW YORK correspondent says that so
plentiful has oil become in the newly discovered
fields in Texas, that it is being used in different
parts of the State for laying the dust on the
highways instead of water. Half a barrel of
oil is sprinkled each day, and is expelled from
the car hot. It cements the dust without
creating any mud, and packs under heavy use,
and on properly graded roads acts like the
roof of a building from which all misfall runs
off. What we want here is a few decent roads.
Apparently our P. W. D. folk fear to use the
new watercarts for fear of washing our roads
away; when they can make a smooth road
it will be quite time enough to think about
how to lay the dust.

THESE two items are from the P. & T. Times
of the 27th ult.:

The Chinese Government contemplate stop-
ping the Yellow River embankment fund which
represents several millions annually. Great
anxiety is felt lest the hundreds of workmen
which this work has maintained will resort to
ruffianism in consequence of being thrown out
of employ, and some are reported to have
already joined the rowdies of Chihli. It is
argued that any disturbance caused by these

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NEW GOODS.

PLENTY IN HAND.

JAPANESE CURIOS.

D. NOMA, No. 12, Beaconsfield, Opposite the City Hall. Hongkong, 30th April, 1900. [41]

DENTISTRY.

AMERICAN SYSTEM, WONG HO-MI, SURG. DENTIST.
TERMS MODERATE. CONSULTATION FREE.
50, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.
Hongkong, 2nd January, 1901. [8c]

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SUI SANG,
(Lately Practising with Dr. I. SAKATA),
DENTIST,
No. 4, Queen's Road Central,
Hongkong, 3rd January, 1901. [16c]

Consignees.

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE H.A.L. Steamship

Captain Porzellan, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their goods from alongside.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon, TO-DAY.

Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 12th instant, will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 12th instant, at 3 P.M.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.
HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE,
Hongkong Office.
Hopkings, 5th August, 1901. [839c]

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL.
THE Company's Steamship

"YANGTSE,"

having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the goods are landed.

Goods not cleared by the 12th instant, at 2 P.M., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

All damaged packages must be left in the Godowns, and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival here, after which no claims will be recognised.

Optional Goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before TO-DAY.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 5th August, 1901. [840c]

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM SHANGHAI.
THE Steamship

"MELPOMENE,"
having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, whence delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned before Noon, on the 12th instant, or they will not be recognised.

The vessel having encountered a severe typhoon, damages arising therefrom are referred to the underwriters who please note that Protest will be extended.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 12th instant, will be subject to rent.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SANDER, WIELER & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, 7th August, 1901. [736c]

OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES OF CARGO per Steamship
The above Steamship having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

GEORGE ECKLEY,
Acting Agent.
Hongkong, 9th August, 1901. [2]

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

FROM BOMBAY AND STRAITS.
Consignees of Cargo by the above-named vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

This vessel brings on Cargo from Persian Gulf, B. I. S. N. and B. & I. S. N. Co.'s Steamers.

Goods not cleared by the 16th instant, at 4 P.M., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever.

All damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the Vessel's arrival here, after which no Claims will be recognised.

H. A. RITCHIE,
Superintendent.
Hongkong, 10th August, 1901.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "TAIFU" FROM CHEFOO.

The above Steamship having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

DODWELL & Co., LIMITED,
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Hongkong, 10th August, 1901. [4]

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Hongkong, 18th June, 1901. [642c]

The Share Market.

LATEST QUOTATIONS.

(August 12th).

Companies.	Paid up Capital.	Latest quotation.
Banks.		
Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation	\$125	300 2/3 premium
The Bank of China (Preference)	£ 5	Nominal
The Bank of China (Ordinary)	£ 4	£15 sales
The Bank of China (Deferred)	£ 1	£5.5 buyers
National Bank of China, Ltd.	£ 8	\$28 buyers
Do. Founders	£ 1	\$15 sellers
Marine Insurance.		
Union Ins. Society of Canton, Ltd.	\$ 50	\$340 sellers
China Traders' Ins. Co., Ltd.	\$ 25	\$60 sellers
North China Ins. Co., Ltd.	£ 25	Tls. 120 sellers
Yangtze Ins. Assoc. Co., Ltd.	\$ 60	\$125 nominal
Canton Ins. Office, Ltd.	\$ 50	\$180 sellers
Straits Ins. Co., Ltd.	\$ 20	\$1
Fire Insurance.		
Hongkong Fire Ins. Co., Ltd.	\$ 50	\$340 sellers
China Fire Ins. Co., Ltd.	\$ 20	\$84 sales
Shipping.		
Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steamboat Co., Limited	\$ 15	\$344 sellers
Indo-China Steam Navigation Co., Ltd.	£ 10	\$140 sellers
China & Manila S.S. Co., Ltd.	£ 10	\$62 sellers
Do. (Deferred)	£ 10	\$54 sellers
Douglas Steamship Co., Ltd.	£ 10	\$12 buyers
China Mutual S. N. Co., Ltd. (Prof.)	£ 10	\$12 buyers
China Mutual S. N. Co., Ltd. (Ordinary)	£ 10	\$12 buyers
China Mutual S. N. Co., Ltd. (Deferred)	£ 10	\$12 buyers
Star Ferry Co., Ltd.	\$ 10	\$244 buyers
"Shell" Transport & Trading Co., Ltd.	£ 1	£2 12 1/2
Refineries.		
China Sugar Refining Co., Ltd.	\$100	\$145 sales and
Luxon Sugar Refining Co., Ltd.	\$100	\$36 sellers
Mining.		
Fungion Mining Co., Ltd.	\$ 9	\$54 sellers
Fungion Mining Preference Shares	\$ 1	\$1.25
Société Française des Charbonnages du Tonkin	Fcs. 250	\$325
Queen Mines, Ltd.	25 cts.	4 cents sales
Jalebu Mining and Trading Co., Ltd.	\$ 5	\$4 sales and
Raub Allan Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	18s. 10d.	\$124 sellers
Oliver's Freehold Mines, Ltd.	\$ 5	\$1
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Docks, Wharves and Godowns.		
Hongkong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.	\$ 50	\$295 sellers
Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd.	\$ 50	\$100
Wanchai Warehouse & Storage Co., Ltd.	\$ 37 1/2	nominal
New Amoy Dock Co., Ltd.	\$ 6 1/2	\$244 buyers and Buildings.
China Land, Hotels & Mortgage Co., Ltd.	\$ 10	\$9.75 sellers
Hongkong Land Investment & Agency Co., Ltd.	\$100	\$191 sellers
Kowloon Land and Building Co., Ltd.	\$ 30	\$30 buyers
West Point Building Co., Ltd.	\$ 50	\$51 ex div. sel.
H'kong Hotel Co., Ltd.	\$ 50	\$131 sellers
Oriente Hotel Co., Ltd.	\$ 50	\$65 sellers
Humphrey's Estate & Finance Co., Ltd.	\$ 10	\$13 buyers
Cotton Mills.		
Hongkong Cotton Spinning & Dyeing Co., Ltd.	\$100	\$104 sales
Ewo Cotton Spinning & W. Co., Ltd.	Tls. 100	Tls. 424 sellers
M'p. Co., Ltd.	Tls. 100	Tls. 30 sellers
Laou-kung-mow Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	Tls. 100	Tls. 40 sellers
Weaving Co., Ltd.	Tls. 100	Tls. 40 sellers
Soy Chee Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	Tls. 500	Tls. 300 sellers
Yahloong Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	Tls. 100	Tls. 15 buyers
Oligar Companies.		
Alhambra, Limited	\$500	\$1,500 sellers
Philippine Tobacco Trust Co., Ltd.	\$ 50	\$50 sellers
Miscellaneous.		
Green Island Cement Co., Ltd.	\$ 10	\$124 buyers
China-Borneo Co., Ltd.	\$ 15	\$38 sellers
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited	\$ 10	\$16 sellers
Watkins, Limited	\$ 10	\$104 sales
Hongkong Electric Co., Limited	\$ 10	\$124 buyers
Hongkong Electric Co., Ltd.	\$ 5	\$6.10 sales
Hongkong & China Gas Co., Ltd.	£ 10	\$140 buyers
Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	\$ 50	\$1724 sales
Geo. Fenwick & Co., Ltd.	\$ 25	\$53 sellers
H'kong Ice Co., Ltd.	\$ 25	\$181 buyers
H'kong High Level Tramways Co., Ltd.	\$100	\$275 buyers
Dairy Farm Co., Ltd.	\$ 6	\$84 buyers
Hongkong and China Bakery Co., Ltd.	\$ 50	\$50
Bell's Asbestos & Cement Co., Ltd.	\$ 10	\$20 buyers
United Asbestos Oriental Agency, Ltd.	£ 1	\$1.10
Tehran Planting Co., Ltd.	\$ 4	\$104 sellers
Universal Trading Co., Ltd.	\$ 5	\$2 sellers
H.K. Steam Water-boat Co., Ltd.	\$ 20	\$191 buyers
China Light & Power Co., Ltd.	\$ 5	\$8 buyers
Kowloon Power Co., Ltd.	\$ 20	\$30
Manila Investment Co., Ltd.	\$ 50	\$50 sellers
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Discombe, Mr. G. M.	Simpson, Mr. A. E.
Dorehill, R.A., Major	Smith, Capt.
Dyson, Capt. P. S.	Smith, Mr. R. W.
Emery, Mr. J. J.	Smithers, Mr. R. G.
Fernald, Mr. and Mrs.	Stewart, Mr. L.
Fischer, Mr.	Taylor, Mr. D. G.
Gibson, Mr. Kennedy	Thomas, Mr. Harry
Glover, Mr. C.	Thompson, Miss R. B.
Grant, Mr. John	Thompson, Dr. and Mrs.
Harold, Mr. W.	T. C. and child
Head, Lieut. A.	Thibbey, Mr. H. M.
Henningsen, Mr. H. F.	Wakeman, Mr. G. H.
Howard, Mr. Thos.	Watts, Mr. and Mrs.
Hughes, Mr. W. K.	Frank W.
Hume, Mr. A. N.	Whaley, Mr. W. J. G.
Hummel, Mr. G. L.	Williamson, Mr. J.
Innes, Capt.	Mrs. A. A. and child
Irvine, Mr. E. A.	Williamson, Mrs. J. and child
Jelly, Mr. W.	Woodward, Mr. T. A.
	Woolen, Mr. J. J.

VISITORS AND RESIDENTS AT THE PEAK HOTEL.

Beattie, Mr. James	Joseph, Mrs.
Benjamin, Mr. S. S.	Lee, Mr. J. E.
Bonnar, Mr. J. W. C.	Mackie, Mr. Gordon
Brown, R.E., Col. F.	Martin, Mr. R.
Brayne, Mr. H. F. R.	Miller, Mr. and Mrs.
Brusse, Mr. G.	Pitt, Mr. John, R.N.
Cameron, Mr. Allan	Pollock, Hon. H. E.
Collard, Col. A. W.	Quinn, Mr. M.
Crookenden, Col.	Rublee, Mr. W. A. (U. S. Consul)
Dann, Mr. George H.	Rublee, Mrs. W. A. and child
Davies, Mr. W.	Rumsey, R.N., Hon.
Drion, Mr. F. S.	Sawyer, Mrs.
Ezekiel, Mr. R. M.	Shelley, Mr. Edward
Forbes, Mr. Andrew	Sinclair, Mr. A.
Fraser, Mr. and Mrs.	Smith, Mr. T. J.
H. W.	Stokes, Mr. A. G.
Glover, Mrs.	Thomson, Mr. J. S.
Graham, Mr. D. M.	Thomson, Mr. W. T.
Gumprecht, Dr.	Wilson, Mrs. W. and child
Hamilton, Major	Wright, Mr. and Mrs.
Hastion, Dr. and Mrs.	H. Taylor
G. M.	
Howard, Mr. Edward	
Hughes, Col. G. A.	
Jeffries, Mr. H. N.	

CRAIGSBURN.

Anderson, Mr. Jas.	Helms, Mr. W.
Brown, Mr. and Mrs.	Langlands, A.O.D.
H. Matheson	Capt. and Mrs. F.
Crouch, Mr. J. W.	Pye, Mr. E. Burns
Denison, Mr. and Mrs.	Sisner, Govt. Civil
	Hospital
Edwards, Mr. G. H.	Volpicelli, Consul
Farrow, Capt. J.	Yeals, Mr. and Mrs.
Grimble, Mr. & Mrs. G.	F. H.
Heemskerk, Mr. J. J. E.	

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Holden, Mr. Geo. H.	Musgrave, Mrs.
Holden, Capt. H. N.	Salters, Mr. D. W.
Laxton, Mr. R. W.	

EXCHANGE.

Hongkong, 12th August.	
ON LONDON, Telegraphic Transfer	111 1/2
" Bank Bills, on demand	111 3/16
" Credits, 4 months' sight	111 9/16
" D'ments, 4 months' sight	111 11/16
ON BERLIN, (demand)	M. 197
ON PARIS, Bank Bills, on demand	243
" Credits, 4 months' sight	247
ON NEW YORK, Bank Bills, on demand	47
" Credits, 30 days' sight	47 1/2
ON HONGKAI, Telegraphic Transfer	143 1/2
On demand	143 1/2
ON SHANGHAI, Telegraphic Transfer	73 1/2
Private 30 days' sight	nom.
ON YOKOHAMA, T.T.	6 1/2 prem.
Sovereigns, Bank's Buying Rate	\$10.35
Gold Leaf 100 touch, per tael	\$10.35
Bar Silver	26 1/2
Dollars	nom.

OPIMUM QUOTATIONS.

Hongkong, 12th August.	
New Patan	\$950 per chest.
Old Patan	975
New Benares	935
Old Benares	935
New Malwa	830
Old Malwa	860/800
Persian, paper tied	815

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

Names.	From.	Date.
Nippon Maru	Shanghai	Aug. 14th
Parramatta	Singapore	Aug. 16th
Heinrich	Colombo	Aug. 20th
Kong Ang	Shanghai	Aug. 20th
Empress of India	Vancouver	Aug. 20th
Fort	San Francisco	Aug. 22nd